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BY DAVID GAWRENCE. (The News Scimitar's Special Corre-

KANSAS CITY, April 22 .- This is the baillwick of James A. Reed, Democratic senator from Missouri, who has fough the leader of his party on many an issue in the last few years, and has not come to the climax of that opposition by a dramatic fight against the league of nations.

It is easy to say that the league of nations, if submitted to a referendum in Missouri, would win out. But that doesn't dispose of Mr. Reed. There are those who believe that he has gone too far to right himself joiltically, and that the Democrats will never renominate him. But the Kanasa City district is where Mr. Reed has fought many a battle in the public eye and they have respect and admiration here for his fighting qualities.

"His following" has not deserted him though many of his admirers think he has made a mistake. But they like Jim Reed. And when he gets out on the stump or stands on the platform of that huge convention hall here, his spelibinding carries enthusiasm which isn't exceeded by anything this city is in the habit of giving to presidential personalities.

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So it may be said Kansas City, liking Jim Reed, would not favor punishing him for his attitude by any attempt to read him out of the party. Other sections of the state think otherwise, Republicans, of course, don't elect Demicoratic senators, so an inquiry into Mr. Reed's strength can only be obtained by a canvass of the Democratic county and precinct leaders who are in touch with the rank and file of the people. To ascertain the feeling of Democratic senerally, a confidential letter was sent out by Democratic head-quarters. County chairmen were asked whether they believed a party convention should be held to indicate whether the state agreed with Mr. Reed's view of the league of nations or President Wilson's. The answers were, of course, not written with an eye to publication, so they represent not merely how the Democratic party feels about Mr. Reed, but how both Republicans and Domocratic appear to think on the subject of the league, for each county chairman gave his own estimate of the stifude of the voters of the opposite party as well.

Majority for League.

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In other words, the batch of letters of which I was able to get possession reflects what the state of Missouri thinks about the league of nations. Most of them favor the league, Many of them are doubtful about holding a convention, fearing it might split the party by producing a factional fight. Some suggest that the league controversy will be out of the way soon, that by gones had better be bygones and that if a fight is organized on Mr. Reed he might develop an independent faction and the party's chances of victory in this state in 1920 would be ruined.

As for the Democratic party's chances next time, well a Democratic editor in Missouri who ought to know, but who wouldn't of course, say it publicly, told ine that if the ciection were held to-morrow the Republicans would have a walkaway.

walkaway. Examination of some of these letters Examination of some of these letters from the county chairmen, however, show what a tremendous strength the league of nations has as a nonpartisan question, and Democrats have feared that any party convention on the subject might antagonise Republicans. Here is an except from one letter:

"I am satisfied that at least 75 per cent of the Democrats in this county are for a league of nations and are with President Wilson. Also a vast majority of Democratis are against a convention at this time to condemn by resolution James A. Reed and produce a faction in the party that will certainly make us a minority party when the nomination for United States senator is made When the Democracy gets to Reed's case, we are firmly convinced they will show him his proper standing in the state among his constituents for the abuse he has made of their carlidence."

"While the Democrats feel strongly."

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ing of a convention and say the counties are back of the league "to a nan" In only one county was the tatement made that sentiment was di-

"You can rest assured of one thing-ing that is that not only the Demo-rate of Southeast Missouri, but more han 50 per cent of the Republicans, tand right square behind the presi-tent and are clamoring every day for im to run for a third term." This particular county, the chairman dds as an afterthought, however, conthe third term: • as a lifelong Democrat I do not this is best."

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if the Democrats make this a party iter, such action coments Republica, and the result will be to the nage of our country, for it will less, and might destroy, our opportunity securing a league of nations, so the consensus of Missouri Demoits would seem to be very largely favor of the league, and they prilely report similar strength for it point the Republicans. Friends of nator Reed also think he has erred to they believe him sincere. They is him for the very qualities of oppolion which he is displaying. They is him so well that they filled to verifice in the big convention half re, which holds 14:000, and gave Mr. left several nights later about 10,000, erhaps the argument against it emed more interesting than the argument for it, but Mr. Reed's appeal and the argument for it, but Mr. Reed's appeal

ther because they fear his hold on the ank and file or they don't want factonal strife in the party. Anyway unsess the situation changes materially he Republicatis in stead of the Demorats are likely to have the say as to thether a Democrat or Republican hall represent this state in the United itates senats, and the first test will ome in the next election, when Senator pencer is up for re-election.

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BAVARIAN SITUATION BETTER FOR HOFFMANN

LONDON, April 22.—The military situation in Bavaria is improving according to announcements made by the Hoffmann ministry. The Spartacaus, who took the town of Dachau, tem miles northwest of Munich, by violating the armistice, with the government troops have been repulsed and the government forces are now holding the place. Reinforcements are moving to ward Munich from Ingoistast, it is said. The Hoffmann ministry, which resumed control of the capital Sunday following the collapse of the soviet government on Saturday night, is feverishly active, according to reports, Delegates to the dist are arriving daily and the assembly will meet soon. Russian prisoners of war who have been released from camps in Germany are now doing guard duty at the railroad station. LONDON, April 22.-The military



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